

GAU 37351



~~IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE~~

In re Application of:

Cesar Z. LINA *et al.*

Serial No.: 08/951,832

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CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests continuation of the above-captioned application under the Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) procedure of 37 CFR §1.53(d).

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APPLICATION

The inventorship in the new application is the same as in the prior, above-captioned application and all claims of the new application are drawn only to subject matter disclosed and claimed in the prior application; therefore, no new declaration or oath is required. Please use all of the contents of the prior application's file wrapper, including the drawings and amendments and all affidavits and/or declarations, information disclosure statements, terminal disclaimers, petitions to correct inventorship, priority claims, deposit account authorizations, elections and/or ownership submissions, as the basic papers for the new application. The prior application is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application.

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- A check in the amount of \$ *** is enclosed herewith.
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GENERAL AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE FEES: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee as may be required under 37 CFR §§1.16 and/or 1.17 at any time during the prosecution of the above referenced application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0489, without further or more specific authorization.

Respectfully submitted,

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